

HISTORIC SITE FORM - HISTORIC SITES INVENTORY

PARK CITY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION (10-08)

1 IDENTIFICATION

Name of Property:

Address: 561 Park Ave

AKA:

City, County: Park City, Summit County, Utah

Tax Number: PC-81

Current Owner Name: PLUNKETT JOHN D TRUSTEE Parent Parcel(s):

Current Owner Address: PO BOX 2237, PARK CITY, UT 84060-2237

Legal Description (include acreage): SUBD: PARK CITY BLOCK 5 LOT: 16LOT 16 BLK 5 PARK CITY SURVEY SWD-615 M51-720 M106-412 M203-90 393-591 564-439 641-1 938-477 1790-1769 1878-1957 1879-294 JOHN D PLUNKETT & BARBARA J KUHR TRUSTEES OF THE PLUNKETT-KUHR TRUST 1879-294; Acres 0.04

2 STATUS/USE

Property Category

- building(s), main
- building(s), attached
- building(s), detached
- building(s), public
- building(s), accessory
- structure(s)

Evaluation*

- Landmark Site
- Significant Site
- Not Historic

Reconstruction

- Date:
- Permit #:
- Full
 - Partial

Use

Original Use: Residential
Current Use: Residential

*National Register of Historic Places: ineligible eligible
 listed (date:)

3 DOCUMENTATION

Photos: Dates

- tax photo:
- prints: 1995 & 2006
- historic: c.

Drawings and Plans

- measured floor plans
- site sketch map
- Historic American Bldg. Survey
- original plans:
- other:

Research Sources (check all sources consulted, whether useful or not)

- abstract of title
- tax card
- original building permit
- sewer permit
- Sanborn Maps
- obituary index
- city directories/gazetteers
- census records
- biographical encyclopedias
- newspapers
- city/county histories
- personal interviews
- Utah Hist. Research Center
- USHS Preservation Files
- USHS Architects File
- LDS Family History Library
- Park City Hist. Soc/Museum
- university library(ies):
- other:

Bibliographical References (books, articles, interviews, etc.) Attach copies of all research notes and materials.

Blaes, Dina & Beatrice Lufkin. "Final Report." Park City Historic Building Inventory. Salt Lake City: 2007.

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University of Utah Graduate School of Architecture and Utah State Historical Society, 1991.

McAlester, Virginia and Lee. *A Field Guide to American Houses*. New York: Alfred A. Knopf, 1998.

Roberts, Allen. "Final Report." Park City Reconnaissance Level Survey. Salt Lake City: 1995.

Roper, Roger & Deborah Randall. "Residences of Mining Boom Era, Park City - Thematic Nomination." National Register of Historic Places Inventory, Nomination Form. 1984.

4 ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION & INTEGRITY

Building Type and/or Style: Cross-wing type / Vernacular style

No. Stories: 1 ½

Researcher/Organization: Preservation Solutions/Park City Municipal Corporation Date: Dec. 2008

Additions: none minor major (describe below) Alterations: none minor major (describe below)

Number of associated outbuildings and/or structures: accessory building(s), # _____; structure(s), # _____.

General Condition of Exterior Materials:

Good (Well maintained with no serious problems apparent.)

Fair (Some problems are apparent. Describe the problems.):

Poor (Major problems are apparent and constitute an imminent threat. Describe the problems.):

Uninhabitable/Ruin

Materials (The physical elements that were combined or deposited during a particular period of time in a particular pattern or configuration. Describe the materials.):

Foundation: The foundation is not visible in the available photographs and therefore its material or existence cannot be verified.

Walls: The exterior walls are clad in drop/novelty wooden siding.

Roof: The cross-gabled and shed roofs are sheathed in composition shingles.

Windows/Doors: The first floor windows on the façade are two one-over-one double-hung sash set in a single opening with a simple window hood. The attic level window is more square and single-paned. The entry door cannot be seen clearly in the 2006 photograph.

Essential Historical Form: Retains Does Not Retain, due to:

Location: Original Location Moved (date _____) Original Location:

Design (The combination of physical elements that create the form, plan, space, structure, and style. Describe additions and/or alterations from the original design, including dates--known or estimated--when alterations were made): This single story frame cross-wing house changed little from c. 1940 to 1978. Some time between 1907 and 1940 an addition with a shed roof was constructed in the L of the cross-wing and the façade window opening was changed to accommodate a three-section window. Between 1978 and 1995 a window opening was cut at the attic level of the gable-end elevation, a casement installed, and a shed-roofed three-sided bay replaced the previous three-section window. Between 1995 and 2006 the entire house was raised and space for a basement garage was excavated.

Setting (The physical environment--natural or manmade--of a historic site. Describe the setting and how it has changed over time.): The house is located on a street that slopes upwards to the left. The garage is at street level. A red sandstone retaining wall runs in Ls parallel to the street and towards to house on either side of the driveway. Like most of the historic neighborhoods in Park City, the overall setting is a compact streetscape with narrow side yards and other homes of similar scale within close proximity.

Workmanship (The physical evidence of the crafts of a particular culture or people during a given period in history. Describe the distinctive elements.): The distinctive elements that define this as a typical Park City mining era house are the simple methods of construction, the use of non-beveled (drop-novelty) wood siding, the plan type (cross-wing), the simple roof form, the informal landscaping, the restrained ornamentation, and the plain finishes.

Feeling (Describe the property's historic character.): The physical elements of the site, in combination, do not effectively convey a sense of life in a western mining town of the late nineteenth and early twentieth centuries.

Association (Describe the link between the important historic era or person and the property.): The "T" or "L" cottage (also known as a "cross-wing") was a common house type built in Park City during the mining era; however, the extent of the alterations to the main building diminishes its association with the past.

The extent and cumulative effect of alterations to the site render it ineligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places.

5 SIGNIFICANCE

Architect: Not Known Known: (source:)

Date of Construction: c. 1904¹

Builder: Not Known Known: (source:)

The site must represent an important part of the history or architecture of the community. A site need only be significant under one of the three areas listed below:

1. Historic Era:

- Settlement & Mining Boom Era (1868-1893)
- Mature Mining Era (1894-1930)
- Mining Decline & Emergence of Recreation Industry (1931-1962)

Park City was the center of one of the top three metal mining districts in the state during Utah's mining boom period of the late nineteenth and early twentieth centuries, and it is one of only two major metal mining communities that have survived to the present. Park City's houses are the largest and best-preserved group of residential buildings in a metal mining town in Utah. As such, they provide the most complete documentation of the residential character of mining towns of that period, including their settlement patterns, building materials, construction techniques, and socio-economic make-up. The residences also represent the state's largest collection of nineteenth and early twentieth century frame houses. They contribute to our understanding of a significant aspect of Park City's economic growth and architectural development as a mining community.²

2. **Persons** (Describe how the site is associated with the lives of persons who were of historic importance to the community or those who were significant in the history of the state, region, or nation):

3. **Architecture** (Describe how the site exemplifies noteworthy methods of construction, materials or craftsmanship used during the historic period or is the work of a master craftsman or notable architect):

6 PHOTOS

Digital color photographs are on file with the Planning Department, Park City Municipal Corp.

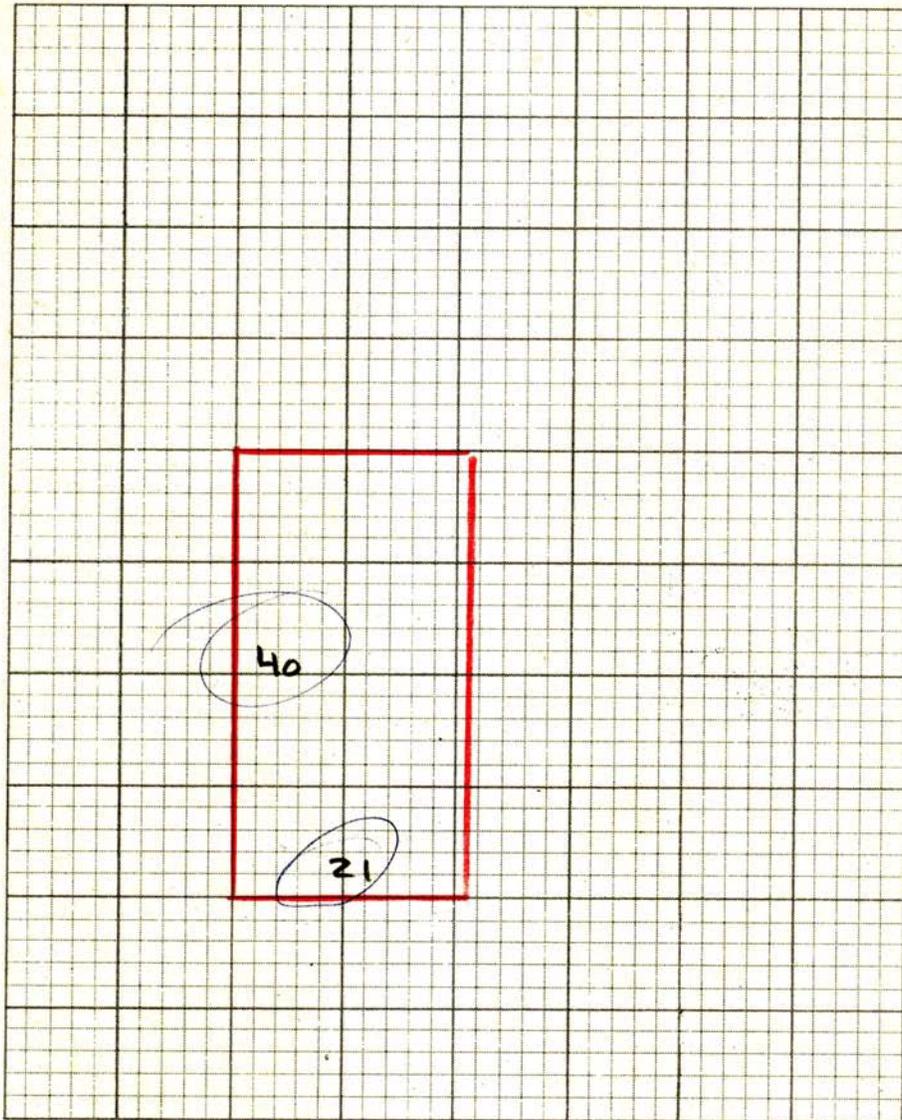
Photo No. 1: East elevation (primary façade). Camera facing west, 2006.

Photo No. 2: East elevation (primary façade). Camera facing west, 1995.

Photo No. 3: East elevation (primary façade). Camera facing west, tax photo.

¹ Summit County Recorder.

² From "Residences of Mining Boom Era, Park City - Thematic Nomination" written by Roger Roper, 1984.



RESIDENTIAL OUT BUILDINGS	Age	Size	Area	Factor	Cost	Depr. Value
		x				
		x				
		x				
		x				
		x				
TOTAL						

Remarks: _____

Owners Name _____
 Location _____
 Kind of Bldg. Res St. No. 561 PARK
 Class 3 Type 1 2 3 4 Cost \$ _____ X _____ %

Stories	Dimensions	Sq. Ft.	Factor	Totals	Totals
	x x	840		\$ 3574	\$
	x x				
	x x				

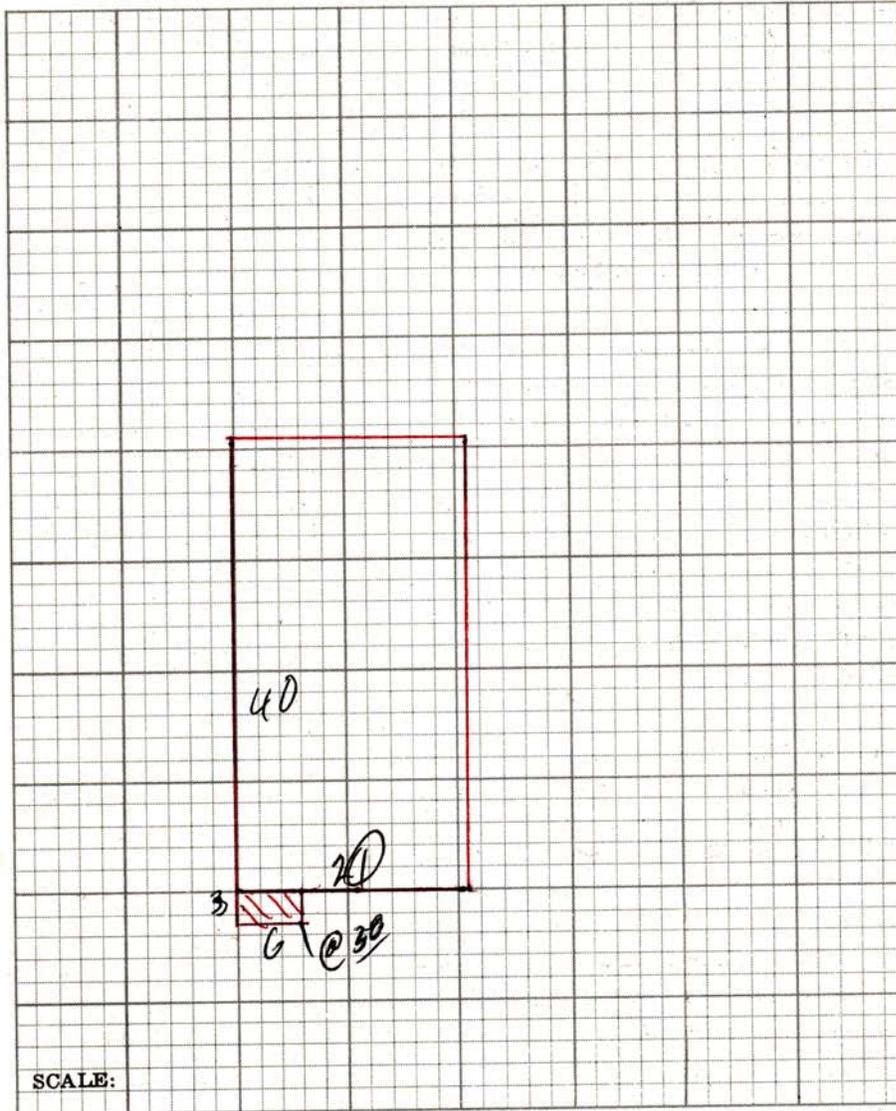
Att. Gar. — C.P. — x — Flr. — Walls — Cl. —

Description of Buildings	Additions	Additions
Foundation—Stone _____ Conc. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sills _____		
Ext. Walls <u>Brick-Text (A)</u>		
Roof Type <u>Gab</u> Mtl. <u>CT</u>		
Dormers—Small _____ Med. _____ Large _____		
Bays—Small _____ Med _____ Large _____		
Porches—Front <u>18'</u> @ <u>30</u>	<u>5</u>	
Rear _____ @ _____		
Porch _____ @ _____		
Planters _____ @ _____		
Ext. Base. Entry _____ @ _____		
<u>Cellar</u> -Bsmt. — 1/4 1/8 1/2 2/3 3/4 Full _____ Floor <u>one</u>	<u>80</u>	
Bsmt. Gar. _____		
Basement-Apt. _____ Rms. _____ Fin. Rms. _____		
Attic Rooms Fin. _____ Unfin. _____		
Plumbing { Class <u>1</u> Tub. <u>1</u> Trays _____ Basin <u>1</u> Sink <u>1</u> Toilet <u>1</u> Wtr. Sfr. _____ Shr. St. _____ O.T. _____ Dishwasher _____ Garbage Disp. _____	<u>550</u>	
Heat—Stove _____ H.A. _____ FA <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HW _____ Stkr _____ Elec. _____	<u>349</u>	
Oil _____ Gas <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Coal _____ Pipeless _____ Radiant _____		
Air Cond. — Full _____ Zone _____		
Finish—Fir. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hd. Wd. _____ Panel _____		
Floor—Fir. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hd. Wd. _____ Other _____		
Cabinets _____ Mantels. _____		
Tile—Walls _____ Wainscot _____ Floors _____		
Storm Sash—Wood D. _____ S. _____; Metal D. _____ S. _____		
Awnings — Metal _____ Fiberglass _____		
Total Additions	<u>984</u>	

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Year Built <u>1904</u>	Avg. <u>1.904</u>	Replacement Cost <u>4558</u>
Age <u>2.</u>		Obsolescence
Inf. by <u>Owner</u> <u>Tenant</u> <u>Neighbor</u> <u>Record</u> <u>Est.</u>		Adj. Bld. Value
		Conv. Factor <u>115%</u>
Replacement Cost—1940 Base		
Depreciation Column <u>1</u> 2 3 4 5 6		
1940 Base Cost, Less Depreciation		
Total Value from reverse side		
Total Building Value \$		

Appraised ① 10-17 1968 By 1708 **DEC 18 1968**
 Appraised ② _____ 19 _____ By _____ 1328



RESIDENTIAL OUT BUILDINGS	Age	Size	Area	Factor	Cost	Conv. Fac.	Adj. Cost	Depr. Value
		x				.47		
		x				.47		
		x				.47		
		x				.47		
		x				.47		
		x				.47		

Garage — Class _____ Depr. 2% 3% _____

Cars _____ Floor _____ Walls _____ Roof _____ Doors _____

Size _____ x _____ Age _____ Cost _____ x 47% _____

_____ 1940 Base Cost _____ x _____ % Depr. _____

Total _____

REMARKS _____



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Utah State Historical Society Historic Preservation Research Office Structure/Site Information Form

1 IDENTIFICATION

Street Address: 561 Park Ave. Plat_{PC} Bl₅ Lot₆
Name of Structure: T. R. S.
Present Owner: Paul M. and Lorraine S. Kofford UTM:
Owner Address: P.O. Box, Park City, Utah, 84060 Tax #: PC-81

2 AGE/CONDITION/USE

Original Owner: Construction Date: @1900 Demolition Date:
Original Use: residential
Present Use: Occupants:
 Single-Family Park Vacant
 Multi-Family Industrial Religious
 Public Agricultural Other
 Commercial
Building Condition: Integrity:
 Excellent Site Unaltered
 Good Ruins Minor Alterations
 Deteriorated Major Alterations

3 STATUS

Preliminary Evaluation: Final Register Status:
 Significant National Landmark District
 Contributory National Register Multi-Resource
 Not Contributory State Register Thematic
 Intrusion

4 DOCUMENTATION

Photography: Date of Slides: 11/77 Date of Photographs:
Views: Front Side Rear Other Views: Front Side Rear Other
Research Sources:
 Abstract of Title City Directories LDS Church Archives
 Plat Records Biographical Encyclopedias LDS Genealogical Society
 Plat Map Obituary Index U of U Library
 Tax Card & Photo County & City Histories BYU Library
 Building Permit Personal Interviews USU Library
 Sewer Permit Newspapers SLC Library
 Sanborn Maps Utah State Historical Society Library Other

Bibliographical References (books, articles, records, interviews, old photographs and maps, etc.):

Summit County Recorder and Assessor Records, Summit County Courthouse, Coalville, Utah.
Sanborn Maps, Park City, Utah, 1889, 1900, 1907.
Deseret News, May 10, 1940, p.24.

Architect/Builder: unknown

Building Materials: wood

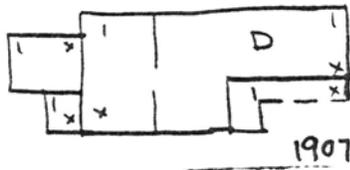
Building Type/Style: residential

Description of physical appearance & significant architectural features:

(Include additions, alterations, ancillary structures, and landscaping if applicable)

One-story frame home with a gable roof, and brown brick-tex siding. The front window is frame, and divided into three sections. The home appears as it did in a 1940's tax photo.

Sanborn Maps:



The plan appeared similar in 1900, but completely different in 1889.

Statement of Historical Significance:

- | | | | |
|-----------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Aboriginal Americans | <input type="checkbox"/> Communication | <input type="checkbox"/> Military | <input type="checkbox"/> Religion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Agriculture | <input type="checkbox"/> Conservation | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mining | <input type="checkbox"/> Science |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Architecture | <input type="checkbox"/> Education | <input type="checkbox"/> Minority Groups | <input type="checkbox"/> Socio-Humanitarian |
| <input type="checkbox"/> The Arts | <input type="checkbox"/> Exploration/Settlement | <input type="checkbox"/> Political | <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Commerce | <input type="checkbox"/> Industry | <input type="checkbox"/> Recreation | |

This building is contributory to the Park City residential district.

In 1891 the property was deeded to Esther Cavanaugh, and sold to Timothy Hollowman, who in 1892 sold it to Nellie Brennan (who apparently became Nellie Campbell). In 1895 a deed of trust was granted to the Columbia Bank and Loan Association by the Campbell and mortgaged to Western Savings and Loan in 1901, on an eight-year mortgage. Sold in 1901 to William P. Mortensen, then to Mrs. Charles Bannicott (?) in 1908; William P. Westfield, 1910; and Doug Jones, 1924.

William P. Westfield was born in 1859 at Wilkes-Barre, PA. He came to Park City in 1895, and worked as a clerk in the shoe department of M.S. Aschiem Co. He also served as a Justice of the Peace, acting Coroner, and a volunteer fireman in Park City. He died in 1940.



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